

Agenda

Reshaping NASA's Aeronautics Program

Lisa Porter, Associate Administrator, Aeronautics Research Mission Directorate

Fundamental Aeronautics Program Overview

Rich Wlezien, Director (Acting), Fundamental Aeronautics Program

Aviation Safety Program Overview

John White, Director (Acting), Aviation Safety Program

Airspace Systems Program Overview

John Cavolowsky, Deputy Program Manager for Technical Integration, Airspace Systems Program

Aeronautics Test Program Overview

Blair Gloss, Director, Aeronautics Test Program

Next Steps

Lisa Porter, Associate Administrator, Aeronautics Research Mission Directorate



Next Steps

Dr. Lisa Porter
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Summary POC information

Hypersonics	Randy Voland
Supersonics	Peter Coen
Subsonics: fixed wing	Fay Collier
Subsonics: rotary wing	Susan Gorton
Integrated Vehicle Health Management	Cheryl Allen
Integrated Intelligent Flight Deck	Leighton Quon
Integrated Resilient Aircraft Control	Joe Totah
Aircraft Aging & Durability	.Doug Rohn
NGATS: Airspace	Mike Landis
NGATS: Airportal	Sandy Lozito

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Four-Step Planning Process

- Step 1: Assess the long-term research needs and goals in each Program and develop technical roadmaps to accomplish those goals.
- Step 2: Solicit information on key areas of interest from the external community and determine opportunities for collaboration through an RFI.
- Step 3: Define research proposals at the field centers.
- Step 4: Issue NASA Research Announcements to solicit proposals for foundational research.



RFI details

- Responses in electronic format due by NOON EST, January 31, 2006.
- Consortia are strongly encouraged.
- Industry can contact the POC for the project of interest to engage in more detailed discussions about technical content and partnership opportunities.
- Questions asked of and answered by project POCs that are of general interest to potential RFI respondents will be posted to the website's FAQ section.
- All responses to the RFI received by the deadline will be forwarded on to the appropriate project leaders.
- The call for proposals to the NASA research centers will occur soon after the RFI deadline.
- The project leaders will review the RFI responses and initiate partnership discussions with those respondents who have proposed partnerships that are well aligned with their project goals.
- Project leaders are not restricted to engage only with companies that respond to the RFI.



2006 Timeline

Jan 3 Release RFIs

Jan 12 AIAA Reno session

Jan 31 RFI responses due

Early Feb Call for proposals released to centers

Early Mar NASA proposals due

Early Apr Evaluations complete

Late Apr Submit improved proposals

Early May Final approval of proposals

Release NRAs for foundational research

End Jun NRA proposals received

End Jul NRA proposals evaluated and selections

made

Early Sep Awards made



NRA Details

- After center proposals are reviewed and approved, centers will release NASA Research Announcements (NRAs) for foundational research (primarily "Level 1").
 - Estimated release date: early May.
 - Estimated due date: end June.
- Full and open competition.
- Goal is to have proposals reviewed and selections announced by end of July.



Where to find more information?

www.aeronautics.nasa.gov

- Today's presentations.
- POC information for each project.
- RFI information.
- FAQs.
- Files containing details of step 1 results for each project.
- Updates to timelines, files, etc.